

EUROPEAN SITUATION.

Von Moltke Says It Is One of Increasing Delicacy.

GUARANTEE FOR GERMAN SECURITY.

The Empire Must Maintain a Strong Military System if Peace Is to Be Continued—Reception Tendered to Explorer Stanley by the Corporation of the City of London—Agricultural Exhibition at Vienna—Other Foreign Items.

BERLIN, May 14.—The reichstag Wednesday the minister of war explained at length the provisions of the proposed military bill. Count von Moltke supported the minister's representations, and said that the European situation was one of increasing delicacy and one which was growing more difficult of solution by reason of the intricate problems in state policy which it constantly presented. It was, Count von Moltke asserted, imperative that Germany should maintain a strong military system, as a strong government alone would be able to maintain peace. Continuing, Count von Moltke said that while it was true that most of the great powers honestly desired the preservation of peace, and that everybody hesitated to throw a spark into the powder barrel, yet the guarantee for the security of the empire could only be found in German strength and preparation.

MORE HONORS FOR STANLEY.

Brilliant Reception by the Corporation of the City of London.

LONDON, May 14.—The reception given to Henry M. Stanley by the corporation of the city of London in the Guild hall Tuesday was the grandest of all the demonstrations that have been made in honor of the great explorer since his arrival here. Long before the time appointed for the reception the streets in the vicinity of the Guild hall were so crowded with people that traffic was entirely suspended, a state of affairs that existed for several hours. The speeches, which were delivered by several members of the municipal government welcoming Stanley to London and conferring upon him the freedom of the city, were of the most eulogistic character. A large number of ladies were in attendance and paid special attention to the guest of the occasion. The freedom of the city was presented in the usual diminutive casket, and the explorer was also the recipient of a number of pictures and maps of Africa and London, together with the arms of Great Britain and the United States.

The Emperor at Koenigsberg.

KOENIGSBERG, May 14.—The Emperor and Empress of Germany arrived here and were received at the railway station by Dr. Schieckmann, governor of the province of East Prussia, and by the commandant of the city. The Emperor and Empress were accompanied by the emperor's personal physician, Dr. von Tschudi, and by the emperor's private secretary, Count von Helldorf. The Emperor and Empress were received at the railway station by Dr. Schieckmann, governor of the province of East Prussia, and by the commandant of the city. The Emperor and Empress were accompanied by the emperor's personal physician, Dr. von Tschudi, and by the emperor's private secretary, Count von Helldorf.

Agricultural Show at Vienna.

VIENNA, May 14.—The great international agricultural exhibition was opened here by the Emperor Francis Joseph in person in the presence of an immense concourse of people, many of whom were men prominent in Great Britain and the countries of continental Europe. France and Italy stand at the head of the numerous nations represented by exhibits in the importance and value of their displays as well as by the elaborateness of detail manifested in their arrangement.

Burns Does the Cranfish Act.

LONDON, May 14.—The great debate on the eight-hour question between Bradlaugh and Burns, which was announced to take place as soon as a suitable hall could be secured, has been indefinitely postponed owing to the withdrawal of Burns. Inasmuch as Burns was the challenging party much surprise has been occasioned by his failure, for which no adequate reason is given.

The Car Will Pool Issues with Germany.

LONDON, May 14.—A dispatch to The Times from Vienna says that the removal of Prince Bismarck decided the car to reverse his policy of an alliance with France, and to sever the connection with an alliance with Germany. The car, it is asserted, always distrusted the stability of the French republic, but it was impossible for him to agree with Germany while Bismarck was in office.

The Colossus Is a Myth.

PARIS, May 14.—M. Bartholdi and Eiffel have been making careful and elaborate calculations by a machine, by which they have arrived at the conclusion that the famous Colossus of Rhodes is a wholly mythical statue and that no such thing ever existed. This will be a grain of mathematics to the scholars who have always refused to believe in the Colossus.

Nine Thousand on Strike.

BILBAO, Spain, May 14.—Nine thousand miners in the province of Biscay have gone out on strike for an increase of pay and a decrease in the hours of labor.

Most Consult England.

ROME, May 14.—In the chamber of deputies Premier Crispi said the triple alliance was solely a defensive one. Nothing would be done without the approval of England.

Texas Prohibition Ticket.

FOUR WORTH, Tex., May 14.—The state prohibition convention met here and nominated the following state ticket: For governor, E. C. Heath, of Rockwell county; lieutenant-governor, J. M. Thompson, of Carson county; treasurer, W. D. Jackson, of Waco; attorney-general, James G. Goff, of Travis county; comptroller, S. G. Tomlinson, of Hopkins county; superintendent of public instruction, Professor A. Clark, of Hood. The prohibition platform was adopted.

A Rush for the Land Office.

PIERRE, S. D., May 14.—The rush of settlers to the newly opened Pierre land office continued. At midnight the line again began to form from the door of the office, and at 9 o'clock it reached far down the street. One man about twenty paces from the door was offered \$25 for his place, but refused. Several fights were indulged in but the police restored order.

CLOSE CALL FOR A DISASTER.

The Allan Line Steamer *Parlatia* Runs Against a Huge Iceberg.

QUEBEC, May 14.—The Allan line steamship *Parlatia*, which has arrived here from Liverpool, narrowly escaped disaster off the banks of New Foundland. A heavy fog prevailed and the steamer was running cautiously at the rate of six miles an hour. The lookout sighted a huge iceberg about forty yards ahead. The engines were immediately reversed but the steamer ran on to a portion of it a distance of about twelve feet. For a time the huge ship shivered from the shock and great excitement prevailed on board, a panic being prevented only by the self-possession of the officers. The vessel lay on her lee side for a full minute and Capt. Ritchie ordered all hands on deck and the crew to stand by the boats. The vessel, however, soon settled back into clear water uninjured. Had the vessel been running at a great speed nothing could have saved it from complete wreck and a large loss of life.

GEN. GARFIELD'S BODY.

It Is To Be Put Secretly in Its Last Resting Place.

CLEVELAND, O., May 14.—When Gen. Garfield's body is placed under the newly finished monument May 30 it will be done secretly. It developed Tuesday that the ex-president's body lies, not in the massive bronze casket in Lake View cemetery, the Mecca of thousands of pilgrims, but in a safe deposit vault amid musty bonds and stock certificates on Euclid avenue. On this account it is that the removal will be so quietly made. Were Garfield's remains actually in the tomb one of the many religious ceremonies of the Decoration Day programme would be their transfer to the place provided for them in the monument. Even while soldiers guarded the vault on the lake shore the body of Garfield's victim was stored away among family plate and jewels in the busiest part of the city. The secret was only known to Mrs. Garfield and a chosen few of her staunchest friends, and has been guarded jealously.

Agreed on a Scale.

QUINCY, Mass., May 14.—The stone cutters' committee and the manufacturers have agreed on 37 cents as the price to be paid per hour. The blacksmiths are to receive \$2.75 per day for a gang of men to consist of twelve and to be paid 35 cents per hour for every man over that number, nine hours to constitute a day's work. The stone cutters and blacksmiths are ready to go to work at any time, but the manufacturers have not yet arrived at a settlement, but are expected to come to an agreement soon.

California and the World's Fair.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., May 14.—An address has been issued by Governor Waterman to the city and county authorities of this state calling upon them to take such action as will prominently bring to the attention of their constituents the importance of California being properly represented at the World's Fair at St. Louis. The people of the various localities are called together to devise means of accomplishing the greatest good to the state.

A Club Man in a Bad Box.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Thomas B. Musgrave, of 545 Fifth avenue, was arrested at the Union League club, of which he is a member, by a police officer of the Tombs court squad, on a warrant issued to Augustus D. Fugate, of Rhinebeck, Dutchess county, N. Y. Musgrave is charged with sending an indecent pamphlet to the complaint through the mails libeling relatives of W. W. Astor.

Stricken with Paralysis.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 14.—George H. Paul, ex-postmaster of Milwaukee and formerly a prominent Democratic politician, has suffered a stroke of paralysis in Kansas City, and it is thought it will prove fatal. The ex-postmaster's son left for Kansas City at once on receipt of the telegram, stating that his father was in a dangerous condition. Mr. Paul is 64 years of age.

Minnesota Republican Convention.

ST. PAUL, May 14.—The members of the Republican state central committee met at noon in secret session. The matter of holding the state convention was considered. The faction wished to hold the convention on June 3, while the other favored Sept. 1. A compromise was finally effected, the committee deciding to hold the convention in St. Paul, Thursday, July 24.

Seminar Wolfed Married.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 14.—The society world of Buffalo came out in round numbers at noon to attend the wedding of Mrs. Frances Metcalf Bass of this city, and United States Senator Edward Oliver Wolcott, of Denver, Colo. The marriage was celebrated in St. Paul's Cathedral church, the Rev. Dr. Francis Lobell officiating.

Big Robbery of Jewelry.

WAVERLY, Iowa, May 13.—The depot of the Chicago, St. Paul and Kansas City railway was broken into and the sample trunks of B. F. Norris, of Chicago, wholesale jeweler, represented by his salesman, Joel Robinson, were broken open and robbed of several thousand dollars' worth of valuable diamonds and jewelry.

The Kentucky Derby.

LOUISVILLE, May 14.—Rain fell all Tuesday night and most of the day Wednesday, sadly interfering with the racing at Churchill Downs. The principal event, the Derby, was won by Riley, Bill Latcher second and Robespierre third; time, 2:35.

Cincinnati Floor Molders Strike.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, May 14.—The refusal of the floor molders' association to grant the demand for an increase made by the bench molders has resulted in a strike of the floor molders, and none of the foundries employing union men are running.

The Vote on Revision.

NEW YORK, May 14.—The independent states that returns from all but five of the presbyteries of the Presbyterian church show that 133 have voted for revision, 69 against revision, and 6 have declined to vote.

Two Millions Unaccounted For.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Heirs of Paul Spofford, once a millionaire shipping merchant here, move for the removal of J. L. Spofford as executor. It is said \$2,000,000 is unaccounted for.

She Weighed 400 Pounds.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., May 14.—Miss Minnie Curtis, who weighed 400 pounds, died at this place Tuesday.

CROP SUB-TREASURIES.

Scheme to Make Uncle Sam the Farmers' Banker.

DR. MACUNE ON THE PICKLER BILL.

It Provides for the Establishment of a System of Agricultural Sub-Treasuries Where Farmers Can Store Their Grain and Other Products—Democrats Well Pleased with Bismarck's Speech on the Tariff Bill—Capital City Notes.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—Dr. Macune, chairman of the legislative committee of the Farmers' National alliance, addressed the ways and means committee in favor of the Pickler bill to establish a system of sub-treasuries for the reception of grain and other farm products. The scheme, he thought, would not over-stimulate production. The real inequality from which the farmer suffered, he said, could not be met by a simple increase in the volume of currency. The farmer needed some radical assistance. He sold his produce in the fall when crops were lowest, and purchased his supplies when other products were highest.

Farmers Actually Starving.

Mr. Flower, a member of the committee, asked Dr. Macune if he did not think that the operation of the bill would result in the starvation of the farmer. Dr. Macune answered that he did not think this. Continuing, he said that the farmers were actually starving themselves in order to pay their debts. He had no doubt that the scheme he favored would greatly benefit the agriculturists, and he cited instances of the establishment of similar ideas in the Argentine Republic and other countries.

Every Thing "in a Hock."

Mr. Flower said that his objection to the scheme was that it would simply be a precedent for the extension of government aid to other industries. If the plan were adopted, he said, we would have to grant similar protection to the mining industry and other industries. Before a direct loan to the farmer would be a "hock" to everything "in a hock." He believed that the farmer would be better off if he regulated his own affairs. The states and the people and not the general government were the best judges of the amount of currency needed. The farmers, he believed, would obtain more benefit under the state bank system than one prevalent in New York, than from any aid such as that provided for in the bill under discussion. The committee adjourned at this point.

CAPITAL MISCELLANY.

The Day in Congress.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—In the senate Wednesday the senate bill authorizing the registry of census mail matter; house bill appropriating \$50,000 for a public building at Rock Island, Ill., were passed. The silver bill was then taken up and Tilden addressed the senate.

On motion of Morrill, of Kansas, the house insisted on its amendment to the senate dependent pension bill and a conference was ordered. The house then went into committee of the whole (division), of Ohio, in the chair on the tariff bill.

Pleased with Bismarck's Speech.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—The Democrats say that Bismarck's speech was the strongest that has yet been made on their side of the tariff debate, and he was compelled to leave the hall of representatives and take refuge behind the locked door of the senate. The committee on patents in order to secure their re-negotiations. They were a little disappointed at the manner in which he closed his remarks, by declining his resignation to the Republican party and all its doctrines. But his arguments against the bill gave them a great deal of comfort and gratification.

Nominations Confirmed.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: In Oklahoma, Governor W. Steele, of Indiana, governor of the territory; Secretary E. B. Cress, of Illinois, chief justice; J. S. Sany, of Missouri, and J. G. Clark, of Wisconsin, associate justices; S. L. Lundy, of Virginia, marshal; Hines Speed, attorney; also A. H. Jones, marshal for Colorado; W. H. Clayton, attorney for the western district of Arkansas; J. S. Durkin, of Pennsylvania, consul to San Domingo; Isaac Moffett, collector of internal revenue for the First New Jersey district.

Paymaster Gen. Looker Resigns.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—Paymaster General Thomas H. Looker has resigned the office of chief of the bureau of provisions and clothing, on account of ill-health, and the secretary of the navy has accepted his resignation, to take effect upon the appointment and qualification of his successor. He will be granted leave of absence, and in case his health does not improve he will be placed on the retired list. Pay Inspector Edwin Stewart, now on duty at New York, will undoubtedly be appointed his successor as paymaster general.

Vinegar Men Protest.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—A committee of vinegar manufacturers, consisting of Paul Bechtler, of Milwaukee; Edward Hills, of St. Louis; H. J. Heinz, of Pittsburgh; H. Williams, of Detroit; and A. J. Boden, of Milwaukee, made an argument before the ways and means committee against a provision of the McKinley tariff bill which repeals the law allowing vinegar to be manufactured from alcoholic vapor.

Favorable Report Ordered.

WASHINGTON CITY, May 14.—The senate committee on commerce has ordered a favorable report on the house bill for the bridging of the Hudson river at the city of New York. The bill was not amended, there will be a minority report against the bill.

Iowa's World Fair Commissioners.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 14.—The Journal of the Minnesota Review, Iowa special says: Governor Boies has decided to recommend to the president for appointment as Iowa commissioners to the world's fair: Professor King, of Linn county, and W. L. Buchanan, who is well known as a promoter of the Sioux City corn plagues.

Flames at Upson, Wis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 14.—The Journal of the Minnesota Review, Iowa special says: Fire here destroyed a block of six buildings. Loss, \$10,000.

MUST SETTLE WITH UNCLE SAM.

A Waukegan, Wis., Woman in a Very Bad Box.

WAUKEGAN, Wis., May 14.—This town is all excitement over a postoffice row that involves the motives of a well-known society lady, the wife of a leading Republican politician. The postoffice here is kept open for the convenience of citizens from 12 to 1 o'clock Sundays. Last Sabbath Mrs. Ludlow, wife of Col. Albert S. Ludlow, accompanied by Miss Caddie Green, did not reach the office until nearly 12 o'clock, when they found it closed. Mrs. Ludlow, it is said, was very indignant, and seeing two letters in her box angrily exclaimed: "I will show them that I can get my mail in spite of them." With this she raised her parasol and with the handle struck the glass covering the boxes, breaking the protection of four boxes, small bits. She then deliberately helped herself from her letters and the two ladies walked away, apparently unconcerned.

Mrs. Ludlow's Action Reported.
Tuesday morning Mrs. Ludlow called and asked P. MacLeod, carrier, how she could settle her damage. The latter pointed out her letter to the store. He said Col. Ludlow had for months been an anxious applicant for the postmastership, and is now in the east in the interest of his candidacy. The Ludlows are from Ludlow, Ky., and are quite wealthy.

IOWA'S LIQUOR LAW.

Meeting of Des Moines Citizens Who Want It Enforced.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 14.—A large number of citizens of Des Moines who are interested in the cause of prohibition held a meeting to consider matters pertaining to the enforcement of the state liquor law. The meeting discussed at some length the recent decision of the supreme court and the advisability of circulating petitions memorializing congress to let the state regulate its own liquor traffic, and a committee of three was appointed to arrange for a temperance prohibition meeting next Sunday night.

The Original Package Joins.

At Marshalltown the city council has taken a practical view of the new situation created by the original package law, and decided to levy a tax of \$50 a month on original package jobs. The council also decided to collect this under the peculiar construction and conditions of the present law. The United States supreme court is by some lawyers considered questionable, but they propose to try, anyhow. About half a dozen places are running. Six car loads of beer were received in Des Moines over one railroad Saturday, and the last keg of the consignment had found a customer.

AN ITEM FROM FLORIDA.

How the Natives Disregard the Mor-

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 14.—The Times-Democrat's special from Vernon, Fla., says: Two Mormon elders have been tramping through W. W. Slidinger and Holmes county distributing their religious tracts. They went by the names of Elders James and Maxwell, and had lost from Utah. They had proselyted to a considerable extent, especially among unmarried women. They signed a party of eight women to go with them, and left with them last week. Abram King, living six miles from here, had two daughters in the party.

Pursuit and Capture.

King and his son, with his neighbors, one of whose wives was with the converts, pursued the Mormons, and on capturing them took them to Irwin, stripped them of their arms and clothing, and then let them loose and began firing at them. The Mormons ran into the swamp and have not been seen since, and it is believed that they perished. The young women were brought home and every one of them was well, and their parents making each one whip the other.

The Louisiana Lottery's Offer.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—John A. Morris, for the Louisiana state lottery company, has offered the state legislature, now in session at Baton Rouge, for the extension of the charter of the company for twenty years, \$250,000, to be paid in three installments. The question monopolizes public attention and will occupy the attention of the legislature until disposed of. The fight in that body promises to be long and bitter, and with the chances at present in favor of the lottery company. All the city papers are full of the matter, and a new journal, The Delta, which has made its appearance, supports the governor in his opposition to the lottery.

Afro-American League.

DETROIT, May 14.—Eleven members of the state are represented in the Afro-American league, which assembled here Tuesday. The number of delegates reaches 150. John J. Evans, of Battle Creek, is chairman, and the league is to determine whether or not it will lend its aid to any existing political party. Inasmuch as the Michigan Protection league, a red-hot Republican organization, largely represented in the Afro-American league, it is assumed that the organization will decide by a large majority to take a prominent part in furthering the interests of the Republicans.

The Welland to Close Sundays.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 14.—In the common sense Sir John Macdonald, replying to a question, said that it was intended to close the Welland and St. Lawrence canals from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. on Sundays to allow the crews and passengers to attend divine service.

He Married Two Women.

MONTREAL, May 14.—W. H. Bothwell, who, while married to Miss Orth, of Philadelphia, came to St. Johns, this province, last November and married Miss Bean, pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy and was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary.

The Old, Old Story.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 14.—Morris Barker, aged 38, unmarried, a salesman for Max Rosenheim, tobaccoist, has shipped with \$1,500 or \$2,000. He has been playing "craps" and the mares, and is supposed to have been stealing for several months.

Eight Deaths of Snow.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 14.—The Journal of the Minnesota Review, Iowa special says: Eight inches of snow fell Tuesday night and it was still snowing Wednesday. The farmers are jubilant.

TRUSTED HIM TOO MUCH.

Edward Wallace Robbed by His Prospective Heir.

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS STOLEN.

Robert L. Wallace, a Protege of the Editor, Ships Out from New York. After First Taking All the Money He Could Lay Hands On—The Associate Editor of Wallace's Monthly Arrested as an Accomplice in the Crime.

NEW YORK, May 14.—John H. Wallace, 60 years old, and editor and proprietor of Wallace's Monthly, known the country over as an auctioneer on trotting horses, has been robbed of upward of \$50,000 by Robert L. Wallace, his nephew, not yet 31 years of age. Leslie MacLeod, confidential associate of John Wallace and associate editor of Wallace's Monthly, is suspected of being an accomplice of the lad in his deliberate scheme of plunder. MacLeod is now in a cell at police headquarters and has been there under surveillance of Inspector Byrnes upward of a week. John H. Wallace has made over \$100,000 out of his publications, and being a hearty, whole-souled kind of a man, without child of his own, he took as a protege several years ago the son of a Pittsburgh Wallace who is in the government's employ there. The lad's grandfather was a cousin of Mr. Wallace's father. The boy was to be heir to the thousands that Uncle Wallace had laid away.

Discovery of the Theft.

Uncle Wallace became very fond of him and trusted him implicitly. Robert was made assistant treasurer of the publishing establishment, carried the key to Mr. Wallace's safe, and had access to his check book and all his private papers. Last Wednesday morning a week "Bob" did not appear at the office, nor did he appear during the day. As he was ordinarily punctual enough Mr. Wallace thought he must be sick and that afternoon went up to his boarding house to see about it. The landlord stated that young Wallace had left for Boston that morning in a great hurry. That night Mr. Wallace began thinking the matter over and looked at his bank book. Thursday morning he visited his box at the safe deposit vault. The box, in which there had been over \$20,000 worth of gold, silver, stocks and bonds, was empty. The bank book must have shown some very startling figures also, besides the missing stocks and bonds enough cash had been drawn from Mr. Wallace's account to make the total shortage no less than \$52,000 and perhaps nearer \$50,000.

Arrest of Editor MacLeod.

Robert L. Wallace, nephew and prospective heir, was the only person who had access to the bank book and the private compartment in the safe where the safety vault key was kept, and it was pretty evident that he had drawn in advance on his prospects before he hurried off to Boston. What led to the suspicion that As. associate Editor MacLeod had a hand in the theft is one of the things that cannot be told. Mr. Wallace consulted Inspector Byrnes, followed him to the office, and MacLeod had become the mysterious presence at police headquarters. He was quietly arranged in the Tombs Police court Sunday and as quietly remanded without examination in Inspector Byrnes' custody, and this process was repeated again Monday morning.

Probably Went in Gambling.

MacLeod is very well known to breeders of trotting horses all over the country. Although only 27 years old he is said to be a particularly well-informed horseman and a tremendous worker. He came to New York from Boston, followed him to the office, and MacLeod had become the mysterious presence at police headquarters. He was quietly arranged in the Tombs Police court Sunday and as quietly remanded without examination in Inspector Byrnes' custody, and this process was repeated again Monday morning.

Heavy Rain-fall in Pennsylvania.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 14.—A special of The Times from Greensburg, Pa., says: One of the heaviest rainfalls that has visited this section for many years passed over here Tuesday afternoon about 2 o'clock. The rain came down in torrents for over an hour, the streams leading through and adjoining this city overflowed their banks, doing much damage. Paradise, the southern suburb, was completely submerged, the water in many places being ten feet deep. The southwest railroad was covered with water three feet deep and many persons were obliged to remove household goods to the second stories of their houses. The Kelly and Jones works were flooded and entirely suspended. Further south the damage was greater.

Death of "Sister Harriet."

LOOKPORT, N. Y., May 14.—News has been received in this city, her lifelong home, of the death of Harriet M. Dayton, known as "Sister Harriet" in the Episcopal churches of the state. She was born Sept. 15, 1820, and died at the Sanitarium in Geneva, N. Y., May 13, 1890. The Hon. Nathan Dayton, judge of the supreme court, was her father. She was a member of St. Paul's church in Buffalo. Her funeral will be held in Lookport Thursday afternoon.

No International Yacht Race This Year.

NEW YORK, May 14.—The New York Yacht club has just received a letter from the earl of Dunraven, the owner of the English yacht Valkyrie, which sets at rest all speculation with regard to an international race for this season. He says it is absolutely impossible to race for the America cup under the present deed of gift, and expresses regret that the New York Yacht club refuses to recede from the position taken in the matter.

A Sioux Girl Takes the Veil.

YANKTON, S. D., May 14.—Miss Josephine Crowfeather, a full-blooded Sioux maiden, has just taken a vow as a Benedictine nun. The ceremony was performed in the convent of the Sisters of St. Ann in this city. Bishop Marty received the vows of the nun, and Rev. Dr. Hamel conducted the ceremony, assisted by Mother Gertrude, superior of the convent.

Not for Slander.

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., May 14.—A young man named Lisbey was shot dead at Mason's school house. He had slandered a Miss Mason, and it is supposed one of her brothers killed him.

THE GARLANDS

Arrested, Charged With Maintaining a House of Ill-Fame.

Last night Officers Leech and Brockway arrested Charles H. Garland and wife, living at 1057 North Main street, on a warrant sworn out by a prominent citizen of the neighborhood, and charging them with running a house of ill-fame. The arrested parties protested their innocence but submitted to the officers quietly, and they were released upon giving bonds in the sum of \$75 for their appearance before Justice Stevens this afternoon at 2:30. Mr. Garland was seen late last night and was apparently very indignant and greatly hurt over the arrest. He said there was no truth in the charge against himself and wife, and accounted for the visits of numerous men to his house at night, by saying that they came there at his request and for the purpose of playing poker, whether for money or not he refused to say, and he considers that he has a right to invite his young friends to his house and entertain them without being arrested.

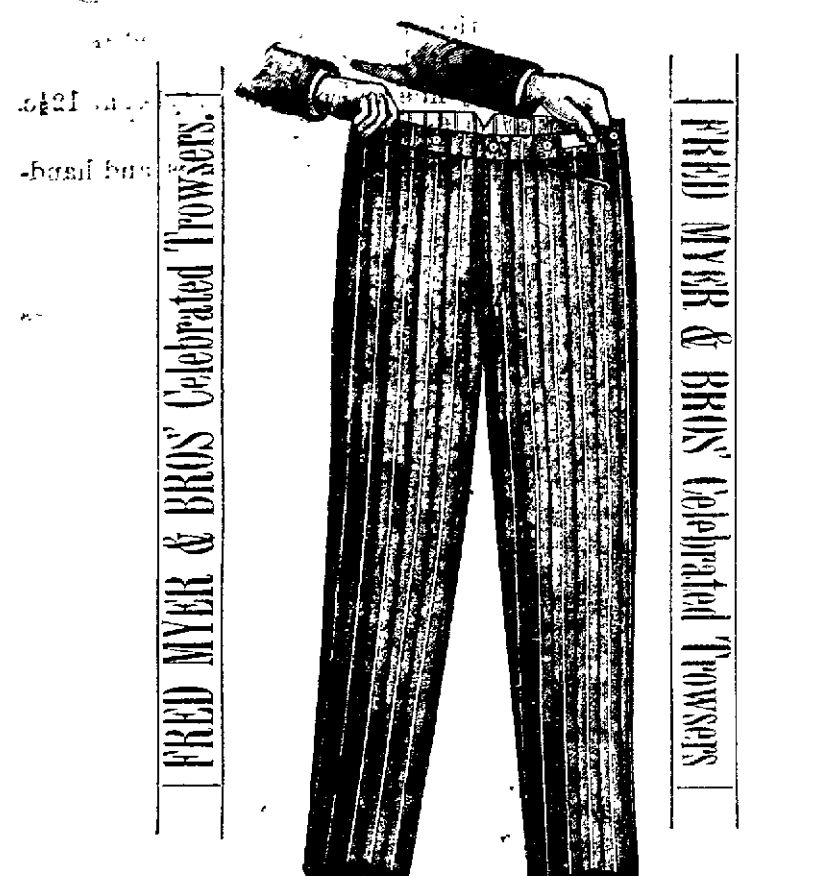
Mr. and Mrs. Garland came to Decatur a little over a year ago from Springfield, and made friends who will be surprised to hear that this charge has been brought against them. They engaged rooms at the St. Nicholas, and made their home there for some months. While there they became acquainted with some of Decatur's good citizens, and their families, and were respected as being respectable and well behaved in every way, as they certainly appeared to be.

To See Our Favevents.

Decatur's paved streets are a source of curiosity to cities all over this country, as they are a source of pride and comfort to her citizens. An inspecting party from abroad is a matter of weekly occurrence here, and it is not often that one of the size and generally imposing appearance as that one now at the St. Nicholas is made welcome into our gates. The party includes the mayor, members of the council and prominent citizens of Evansville, Ind. They arrived last night over the P. D. & E. from Peoria. They have been looking at the pavements and public works of various cities and couldn't go back without seeing Decatur. They will examine them this morning.

The names of the gentlemen are: N. M. Goodell, mayor; F. W. Cook, James D

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MOIKE—"All right, Bridget, I'll do as you say. Your advice always was good, anyway, and I'll take it."

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C. W. MONTGOMERY.

2nd Floor Over Millikin's Bank Building.

MORNING REVIEW

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1890.

YOURSELF AND OTHERS.

W. F. Bushner is sick.

E. E. Coleman is back from Chicago.

Jim Halpin went to Chicago last night.

Mrs. Mathews went to Benoit yesterday.

John Freeman, of Mowena, is in the city.

Alois Young of Tacoma, Wash., is home on a visit.

L. F. Houck, of Harrison was in the city yesterday.

J. M. Clokey returned yesterday morning from St. Louis.

Miss Madge Smith has returned from a visit to Chicago.

S. E. Lussus, of Owaneoc, was a Decatur visitor yesterday.

Rev. S. F. Gibb will leave to-day for Hopkinsville, Ky.

Miss Jessie Steele has returned from a visit in the country.

Edwin Pratt left for the east last evening with a car of fine horses.

Superintendent T. L. Evans returned from Forsyth yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cooper, of Maroa, were visitors yesterday to Decatur.

Miss Mary Lynch of Littlefield is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. J. Kanary.

D. S. Shellbarger and K. H. Roby came down last night from Chicago.

William McElhorn went to Orem yesterday to visit a few days with relatives.

Harry Zimmerman of Pennsylvania is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Adam Luboden.

Messrs. Frank Elwood and C. B. Prescott departed yesterday for Indianapolis.

Capt. M. F. Kanan and O. F. Spaulding returned yesterday morning from Chicago.

Mrs. James Swars and daughter, Mrs. J. B. King, have returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mrs. M. Mouran and baby returned yesterday from a week's visit with Monticello friends.

Misses Mary Roby and Margaret Lamberton returned yesterday afternoon from Bloomington.

Mrs. H. Kaylor, near Mt. Zion, who has been seriously ill for some time, was some better yesterday.

Theodore Nelson leaves to-night for Chicago to attend an important meeting of the democratic state central committee.

Messrs. Albert Houser and Harry Thomas, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mrs. C. M. Lyle, 427 North Main street.

Mrs. A. T. Summers went to Chicago yesterday and will be the guest for a week or more of Mrs. Dora Walston Johnson.

J. E. Saxton, the book store man, is laid up with a return attack of the grip. He will probably be kept at home for some days.

O. W. Wilson, who arrived in the city Tuesday morning from San Francisco to visit relatives here, left last night for Chicago.

Among visitors yesterday to Decatur were these: John Franz, Cisco; F. T. Hoke, Sullivan; Judge C. N. Twaddle, Lake City.

F. M. Webb, accompanied by his mother and sister, will leave to-night for a month's visit in Ohio. His wife and children will visit at Macdon.

D. C. DeMude, of Danville, was in Decatur yesterday to see Rev. James Miller, whom he found to be much better than he has been for several days.

E. G. Allen went to Chestnut City yesterday where a road, greater contest will be held to-day. Mr. Allen la. the Austin grader there for competition.

William Kramer has returned to his home in St. Louis. He was called here because of the sickness of his brother, Rev. J. S. Cramer. The latter is recovering.

A. G. and A. E. Foster and wives of Lovington, passed through the city yesterday enroute home from Assumption where they attended the funeral of a friend.

Will Be In a Stock Company.

Giles R. Warren, of Decatur, a young man of rare dramatic talent, who is expected by his friends to reach a front rank in the dramatic profession, has made an engagement to become a member of the first stock company organized in the west.

There are but three stock companies in the United States, one in Boston and two in New York. Mr. Stapleton, for some time a teacher in the school of acting at Chicago with which Mr. Warren has been connected, has organized a stock company that shall be in Chicago what Daly's company has been in New York. For many years Mr. Stapleton was stage director at Daly's. He is a man well versed in his profession and will undoubtedly succeed in realizing his hopes in this venture. He includes some of the most promising young actors in the country, and some of considerable experience on the stage. The company will give its attention exclusively to producing the very highest class of comedy, and will in a large part produce new plays that are clearly meritorious, whether the authors are known or not.

Held Up by Robbers.

Jo Collins, an employe of Shellbarger's mill, lives in the northeast part of the city and goes on duty at midnight, and while going to work Tuesday night, he was seized by two men, who jumped out from behind a box car, that was standing on an Illinois Central siding, between Condit and Orchard streets. One of them held him, both threatened to draw and quarrel him if he made any fuss and the larger of the robbers made a thorough search of his pockets "for the root of all evil." He however could not have had less money about him if he had been a newspaper man, and the would-be thieves got only "their trouble for their pains." He was not injured except in his feelings.

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STRAY SCRAPS.

Local news on first page.

Tony Breadth was able to be out on the streets yesterday.

The Sangamon is throwing mud again at the people of Decatur through the filter.

Work on the shoe factory building is progressing as well as the weather will permit.

McNabb & Sons have just completed the plans for a handsome \$3,000 residence to be put up by Will Hellman on West Decatur street.

Williams' grocery store on North Water and C. L. Griswold's hardware store on South Water street are being exteriorly decorated by painters.

By a mistake of the Globe-Democrat the date of the National Prohibition Camp meeting in this city has got in circulation as May 31, instead of July 31, the correct date.

Ed B. Dimock has leased the Pratt barn on North Church street, and has opened a first-class livery stable, with new buggies, new horses, etc. His telephone number is 415.

Mrs. Lizzie Charnock, the lady assaulted by the negro Monday night, was some better yesterday, but is still in a deplorably nervous condition. Her assailant has not been captured.

The Short Line was not running its cars for an hour yesterday afternoon and for a half hour again last night. The stoppage was caused by trouble with the machinery at the power house.

It was supposed that a jury in the Corbin case at Sullivan would be secured by Wednesday night. At 1:30 yesterday eight jurors had been secured, with a panel of 40 men waiting to be examined.

It is now thought that the big syndicate block cannot be built on North Main street, because of trouble in getting the title perfected. The block is one of the certainties of next year, however.

A force of 50 men is still at work at the C. & O. factory. While the plant is working business is at an end for this year, the men still have a great many loaders to make, and will be busy for some time yet.

Will L. Smith, the genial Bell-Ringer manager has a beautiful place at the corner of Center and Warren streets and he and his son Charley are adding greatly to its attractiveness by extensive and tasty improvements.

About 9 o'clock last night Mrs. J. N. Baker made a mistake on the stairway at her home, corner of Decatur and Edward streets, and fell to the bottom. She was badly shaken up. Dr. W. B. Hosteler was called, but he found her only suffering from the shock, and not seriously hurt.

There was a debt of \$400 hanging over the A. M. E. parsonage before the recent rally day collections and festival returns. There is a debt now of only \$150, and the present board of trustees who are all hustlers, will not be long in settling that.

An old lady who recently lost her third husband was bewailing her matrimonial misfortune, recently. "Only think," said she, "it took all but \$5 of the price of a good cow to pay his funeral expenses." Evidently she thought marriage was a failure financially, at least.

A Citizens line car jumped the track yesterday morning on the trestle work at the corner of Broadway and North streets. The passengers thought they had gotten into an Ashtabula disaster for a minute, and were greatly relieved when the car brought up on the sidewalk. No damage was done.

A far-well reception will be given Rev. W. H. Priestley and wife at the residence of H. W. Hill, west end Prairie avenue, Thursday evening, May 16, from 8 to 11 o'clock. The members of the church and congregation and all other friends of Mr. and Mrs. Priestley are cordially invited to be present.

E. A. Glidden, of the firm of Heaver & Glidden, the shoe factory men, was in the city yesterday looking for a house. He wants to move to Decatur as soon as he can get a residence. He made a search yesterday, but was not successful in finding just what he wanted. He will leave this morning for St. Louis.

The directory of the Woman's Club Building company met and did considerable talking. It was decided that an entrance must be made to the basement on North Park street and a bath room must be put in for the charity office. The baths are for some of the applicants for clothes, who generally need a scrubbing more than anything else.

Cards are out announcing the marriage June 5th of George Kerr of Louisville, Ky., and Miss Emma Rosen of St. Louis. The fair prospective bride is a sister of R. O. Rosen, superintendent of Mills & Harry's industries in this city and he and wife will attend the wedding. The Review extends congratulations in advance and hopes the united lives of the young couple may be replete with happiness.

Operator W. C. Armstrong, Superintendent Moran and foreman Thomas Clark, and Patrick Fagan have been putting in good time lately handling the trowel and laying brick. Their hands are tired and blistered and they are about to go out on a strike themselves. Pat Moran has probably secured DeWitt C. Shockey's job, as he appeared yesterday to be putting in full time inspecting the paving work done by the others.

T. A. Scudder, a Terre Haute traveling man, who went out of Decatur on a T. H. & P. train Tuesday morning, thought he saw on that train the colored man who assaulted Mrs. Charnock. He hadn't then heard of the matter, but he noticed that the fellow had an uneasy look, as if he was afraid of pursuit. His actions were suspicious, besides, and any one would have supposed there was something wrong with him.

Persons interested in John H. Hood's affairs have investigated his business somewhat in the last few days, and it is their opinion that he had about \$500 when he left Decatur. He collected up as fully as possible, took notes where he could not get cash, and accounted where it is thought that he is in St. Louis, where he is more sure on the part of those who know him. The girl Mary Molitary, who went away with him, returned home Tuesday but disappeared again.

Good Templars Festival To-Night.

The Good Templars of Decatur lodge are preparing for a big time at their hall to-night.

The program is as follows:

Music by Opera House orchestra.

Solo—Frank Hodgden.

Selection—Lillian Irwin.

Quartet—Sallie McCall, Mary McKenzle, Bert Gier, Harry Matman.

Selection—Ada Rainey, Forsythe.

Music—Orchestra.

Address—W. N. Andrews.

Tabern—Social Glass, Debt, Poverty, Misdeeds—Lament.

Amusement—Tosses. Ice cream, strawberries, and cake will be served.

OUT OF JUSTICES.

Parties in a Law Suit Go to the Country to Try a Case.

There was an unusual condition of affairs in the justice courts here yesterday, and one that made it necessary for the parties in a civil suit to go out in the country to try a case. It was a forcible entry and detainer case of Leforgee & Son, the real estate agents, and a tenant. C. C. Leforgee was the attorney for the real estate agents, and I. D. Walker represented the other side. The case was first brought before Justice Curtis and 8 o'clock yesterday morning was set as the time for trial. D. Walker subpoenaed 4 Justices Stevens as a witness. Justice Stevens is the nearest justice and in case of a change of venue, he would be the one before whom the case would go. Thinking he had been called as a witness simply that the case might be taken before some other justice, C. C. Leforgee subpoenaed the other three justices in the city. Shortly after the case was called, Mr. Walker expressed a desire to have a change of venue. He was taken back temporarily when he found there were no justices left to go before, but he recovered himself shortly and hunted up the nearest justice. That was J. Y. Braden, four and a half miles north of the city. So the whole outfit, lawyers, parties, witnesses and officers loaded themselves up in carriages and went out to the "squirts". He didn't know what was coming first, but was soon informed, and the case then proceeded. He decided in favor of the Leforgees.

TO BE REPEATED.

The Christmas Club Entertainment as a Matinee.

The Christmas Club came out about \$40 behind on its entertainment at the opera house Tuesday night. That is generally regarded by all who saw the performance, as it is universally considered to be the best of the kind that has been given here this season. To make something out of what is in every way worthy of financial success, and to gratify a desire expressed by many to see it again, the entertainment will be repeated Saturday afternoon at the opera house. The doors will be opened at 1:30 and the performance will begin promptly at 2:30. As it is quite long, there can be no delay in beginning, so the audience should be in place by that hour. The prices will be 10 cents for children and 25 cents for grown persons.

TRACK AND TRAIN.

The L. D. & W. pay car will be here to-day.

Master Mechanic Jamison of the Wabash is in the city.

Yesterday was Wabash pay day, and hundreds of folks were made happy in consequence.

John A. Cotter and J. M. Hubert, Wabash officials at Littlefield, were in Decatur yesterday.

Billy King, target man at the depot, left last night for a couple of weeks' visit with friends at Milwaukee.

W. H. Parmelee, of Indianapolis, was in Decatur yesterday to see what he could do for the West Shore time.

Superintendent Magee of the Wabash was here yesterday in his special car St. Louis, enroute to Chicago.

Ex-Conductor Heck Ballou, now Wabash trainmaster at Forest, was in the city yesterday greeting old friends.

S. M. Foster, traveling freight agent for the Kanawha dispatch, and C. C. Smith, representing the Interstate despatch in the same capacity, were calling on Decatur shippers yesterday.

Locomotive No. 35 was turned out Tuesday from the Wabash shops. It is the mate of No. 24, the 10-wheel locomotive of which an extended mention was made in The Review a short time ago, and will run on the same division—the Chicago division—between Decatur and Chicago.

REVIEW POST OFFICE.

EDITOR REVIEW:—Will you be kind enough in your next issue to give some pertinent topics for valdictory or salutatory purpose, to be used at commencement exercises, and oblige.

A FRIEND.

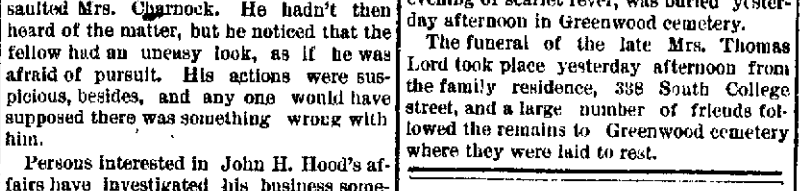
The Review accedes with pleasure to the request of A Friend. Here are a few appropriate subjects: "Prohibition as practiced in high official places." "It was fire before the council meeting; fired after it." "The weariness of flesh the late city election caused the gang." "The influence of the potato bug on Paris green." "The deplorable ex-club work."

"Persons who a showman would not make a good street commissioner." "The influence republican love feasts has on some people's virtue." "Chisel your neighbor if you can." "The respectability of electricity as proven by its refusal to shine within the walls of the gang plank depot." "There is no doubt 'A Friend' can do good work with either of the above subjects as a starter. They are all local and pertinent, mostly.

Their Final Home.

Margaret, the year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wallenberg, of 508 North Stone street, who died Tuesday evening of scarlet fever, was buried yesterday afternoon in Greenwood cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas Lord took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 338 South College street, and a large number of friends followed the remains to the Greenwood cemetery where they were laid to rest.



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15 " extra white C. sugar.....	1.25	Michigan dried peaches per lb.....	5c
14 1/2 " A sugar.....	1.00	Fancy Salt Lake peaches per lb.....	12 1/2c
14 " granulated sugar.....	1.00	3 lb dried apricots.....	25c
CANNED GOODS.		3 lb dried apricots.....	25c
3 lb California egg plums per can.....	15c	4 lb evaporated apples.....	25c
8 " Apricots worth 25c reduced to.....	15c	SPICES.	
8 " California peaches worth 25c only.....	15c	Pepper whole or ground per lb.....	25c
8 " white cherries worth 25c now 20c.....	15c	Allspice.....	15c
3 " Yellow Crawford peaches in syrup per can.....	15c	Best ginger.....	15c
3 " Tomatoes, 3 cans for.....	25c	Cinnamon.....	15c
4 Cans blackberries for.....	25c	Mustard per lb.....	25c
4 " blueberries for.....	25c	STARCHES.	
4 " string beans for.....	25c	Superfine.....	25c
2 " good salmon for.....	25c	100 lb.....	25c
2 " cherries for.....	25c	100 lb.....	25c
2 " baked beans, worth 25c per can.....	25c	SYRUPS.	
		Fancy sugar syrup per can.....	40c
		Honey drips worth 50c now.....	40c
		Maple syrup in half gallon cans per can.....	40c

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